Boston Centers for Youth & Families

SMAP SHOT

Youth Photography Program



Youth will have the opportunity to gain hands-on photography experience through weekly lessons with professional photographers and weekly excusions.

Application Deadline: June 11, 2021
Program Dates: July 6 - Aug 20
Apply Online: Boston.gov/BCYF-SnapShot

Participants must be Boston residents ages 16-18. They will work up to 25 hours a week and will be paid every 2 weeks.



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ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A SUMMER JOB? ARE YOU INTERESTED IN LEARNING ABOUT PHOTOGRAPHY?

If so, the Snap Shot Photography Program is the perfect opportunity for you! This summer employment program introduces participants to all aspects of photography. Led by a professional photographer the program includes opportunities to conduct "photo shoots" around Boston, visit museums and art galleries, dedicated computer lab time to edit digital photos, personal development workshops led by John Hancock, and the responsibility of serving as a "staff photographer" at various programs and events for Boston Centers for Youth & Families.

TO APPLY:

- Applicants must complete the application available at <u>Boston.gov/BCYF-SnapShot</u>
- Participants must be residents of Boston and ages 16-18.
- Youth up to age 21 who are pursuing a high school diploma or HiSET/GED are able to apply.
- Applications are due June 11, 2021.

IF HIRED, APPLICANTS MUST:

- Be available to work from Tuesday, July 6 Friday, August 20, 2021;
- Commit to a Hybrid weekly schedule of Monday-Friday both virtually & at the BCYF Curtis Hall Community Center, 20 South Street, Jamaica Plain;*
- Attend bi-weekly professional and life skills virtual workshops
- Complete and pass a CORI/SORI background check.

THE JOHN HANCOCK SUMMER SCHOLARS PROGRAM:

The Snap Shot Photography Program is made possible via a partnership between Boston Centers for Youth & Families and John Hancock's MLK Summer Scholars Program, which allows non-profit agencies to employ teens throughout the summer. MLK Summer Scholars enables students to have on-the-job training in community organizations in addition to participating in weekly life skills training workshops managed and developed by the BostonGlobe Foundation and BostonCares. MLK Summer Scholars gain employment training as well as educational skills to assist in becoming community leaders of the future.

To celebrate the conclusion of the MLK Summer Scholars summer program, a recognition ceremony and photo exhibit event will be held to honor the students at the end of the program. Students will be joined by friends and family and will have the opportunity to network with City officials and community leaders.

IF THIS SOUNDS LIKE A GOOD FIT FOR YOU PLEASE COMPLETE THE APPLICATION AVAILABLE AT <u>BOSTON.GOV/BCYF-SNAPSHOT</u>

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT:

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*Location subject to change



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